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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION									OMB APPROVAL		
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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
BOYD WILLIAM S Symbol WESTE			. Issuer Name and mbol ESTERN ALL ANCORPORA	IANCE		2	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 2700 WEST	(First) (M SAHARA AVE	(M	Date of Earliest Tr onth/Day/Year) /24/2007	ransaction			X Director Officer (give below)	title $\frac{10^{\circ}}{\text{below}}$	% Owner her (specify		
			lf Amendment, Da ed(Month/Day/Yea	ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)			 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
(City)		Zip)					Person				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any	ate, if Transact Code /Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ion(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	ies Aco sposed	quired of (D)	tired, Disposed of 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ily Owned 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
COMMON STOCK	10/24/2007		P	50,000	A	\$ 21.08	1,755,730	I	BY WILLIAM S. BOYD TRUST		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	le and unt of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BOYD WILLIAM S 2700 WEST SAHARA AVE LAS VEGAS, NV 89102	Х						
Signatures							
DALE GIBBONS, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT		10/2	25/2007				
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person		I	Date				
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Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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